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DIARY NOTES

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25X1A9a [REDACTED] buzzed to say that the Director asked him to tell me that he had given [REDACTED] \$20,000 out of "his" Reserve. Jack understands that there will be a paper addressed to the Comptroller advising him of this fact; however, I should alert Ed Saunders in case this doesn't happen.

2. Bob Macy, Bureau of the Budget, telephoned to alert me to the fact that the Secretary of State had written a memorandum to the President concerning "international airline routes." The White House has not made a decision as to what they are going to do about it yet; however, it appears that they will call in some outside consultants to make an over-all study of the problem and Bob feels that they might either intentionally

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25X1A9a 3. I talked to [REDACTED] about the possibility of nominating him to attend the Harvard Advanced Management Program next fall. He is enthusiastic about this possibility and believes that he will be able to get away from his job without any difficulty at that time.

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NOTE: An extract of paragraph 1. was made and forwarded to the Comptroller for his information on 18 April 1960. (See DD/S 60-1546)

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1. At the Deputies Meeting:

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a. I asked Lyman Kirkpatrick if he would be willing to go up to Boston sometime between now and the 10th of May to brief [REDACTED] on the over-all management problems confronting the Agency. He said that he would be glad to do so and I have asked Matt Baird to work out the details.

b. The Director asked Sherman Kent to prepare a history of the estimating process beginning with the first National Intelligence Estimate.

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c. The Director also said that he was going to send a letter to Bob [REDACTED] who is at the Disarmament Conference, suggesting that he sit down with his Russian friends and talk openly about CIA with emphasis on the Agency's overt functions.

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f. I learned for the first time that there has been some consideration of sending [REDACTED] to Russia. Apparently, he is perfectly willing to go if we will pay his expenses; however, the Office of Scientific Intelligence and the SR Division have reacted negatively to this suggestion. [REDACTED] is going to look into it further and I have advised John Tietjen who was also unaware of this.

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2. Gordon Stewart telephoned to say that [REDACTED] had approached him and had suggested that he explore the possibility of keeping 1016 16th Street when we move into the new building. I told him to go ahead but to be sure to cut in the Office of Logistics.

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3. Jim Cunningham telephoned to say that they wanted to spend \$40,000 to rehabilitate an airstrip at [REDACTED] and wondered whether they had to go to the Project Review Committee. I told him that, in this instance, I thought that Dick Bissell and I could sign off on the Project without PRC approval.